

Comparisons of Job Characteristics

Focus Occupation: Cooks, Restaurant (35-2014)

Associated Occupation: First-Line Supervisors of Food Preparation and Serving Workers (35-1012)

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<<	Focus occupation element is much lower
<	Focus occupation element is lower
0	Focus occupation element is at a similar level
>	Focus occupation element is at a higher level
>>	Focus occupation element is at a much higher level

Knowledge

Similarity of Focus Occupation to Associated Occupation: 80

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Associated Occupation's Key Knowledge Elements	Average Rating, All Occupations	Associated Occupation's Rating	Focus Occupation's Rating	Evaluation of Focus Occupation
Administration and Management	8.4	13.4	6.2	<< Extensive education and/or training may be required
Customer and Personal Service	11.3	13.0	6.5	<< Extensive education and/or training may be required
Food Production	2.1	12.8	10.7	< Expanded education and/or training may be required

The maximum possible rating is 25.

Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section analysis of O*NET (Occupation Information Network) data.

Skills

Similarity of Focus Occupation to Associated Occupation: 82

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Associated Occupation's Key Skills Elements	Average Rating, All Occupations	Associated Occupation's Rating	Focus Occupation's Rating	Evaluation of Focus Occupation
Coordination	9.1	12.8	9.2	<< Extensive development of skills in this area may be required
Service Orientation	7.9	11.6	5.6	<< Extensive development of skills in this area may be required
Management of Personnel Resources	6.9	11.2	6.4	<< Extensive development of skills in this area may be required
Systems Evaluation	6.4	9.3	4.1	<< Extensive development of skills in this area may be required
Management of Financial Resources	3.3	7.1	4.5	<< Extensive development of skills in this area may be required
Management of Material Resources	3.7	7.1	5.4	< A higher skill level may be required

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Abilities		Similarity of Focus Occupation to Associated Occupation: 81			
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Associated Occupation's Key Abilities Elements	Average Rating, All Occupations	Associated Occupation's Rating	Focus Occupation's Rating	Evaluation of Focus Occupation	
Far Vision	7.8	9.4	6.1	<<	Extensive improvement in abilities may be required
Time Sharing	6.6	8.9	6.6	<<	Extensive improvement in abilities may be required
Number Facility	6.3	8.3	5.5	<<	Extensive improvement in abilities may be required
Memorization	5.6	7.5	5.1	<<	Extensive improvement in abilities may be required
Speed of Limb Movement	3.2	5.4	4.2	<	Some improvement in abilities may be required

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Activities that Both Occupations Have in Common		Similarity of Focus Occupation to Associated Occupation: 88
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Work Activities	Exclusivity of Activity	
Assign work to staff or employees	30	
Coordinate banquets, meetings or related events	85	
Determine food portions	92	
Direct and coordinate activities of workers or staff	3	
Direct and coordinate food or beverage preparation	82	
Identify cut or grade of meat	85	
Inventory stock to ensure adequate supplies	65	
Investigate customer complaints	67	
Oversee work progress to verify safety or conformance to standards	49	
Plan menus	77	
Provide customer service	14	
Purchase food or beverages	82	
Requisition stock, materials, supplies or equipment	54	

Not all positions in these occupations will necessarily perform all of the listed activities. The exclusivity rating is an indication of how unique the activity is amongst all occupations. The maximum rating is 100. High scores indicate that only a small number of occupations engage in that activity.

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Tools and Technologies that Both Occupations Have in Common

Similarity of Focus
Occupation to Associated
Occupation: 65

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Tools and Technologies	Exclusivity
Business function specific software	1
Computers	1
Industry specific software	1

Not all positions in these occupations will necessarily use all of the listed tools and technologies. The exclusivity rating is an indication of how unique the tool or technology is amongst all occupations. The maximum rating is 100. High scores indicate that only a small number of occupations use that tool or technology.

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